House Resolution No. 3252

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who admirably have helped their young charges to obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Margaret Ruth Shaw of Hillsboro has attained considerable distinction as a Kindergarten teacher in the Hillsboro R-III School District, an educational calling which she will draw to a close on June 30, 2005, in well-deserved retirement; and

Whereas, during her twenty-five years with Hillsboro schools, Margaret Shaw also served as a sixth-grade and fourth-grade teacher, member of the Teacher Support Team, Science Curriculum representative, Reading Curriculum representative, and Grade Level chairman, and received Teacher of the Year recognition in 2001 and the Emerson Excellence in Education Award in 2001; and

Whereas, Margaret Shaw brought to her professional endeavors at Hillsboro schools a wealth of expertise which she garnered from earlier employment as a teacher with Newark, Ohio, public schools and Columbus, Ohio, public schools; and

Whereas, Margaret Shaw helped uphold the highest standards of conduct and performance in her chosen field through her membership in Missouri State Teachers Association and Community Teacher Association; and

Whereas, Margaret Shaw is justifiably proud to be known as the beloved wife of Michael Shaw and the loving mother of Mike, Joseph and Jennifer Shaw, and Mary and Scott Woodward, all of whom support and encourage her activities on the Church Worship Team and as a Love Basket Sponsor; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative endeavors in order to recognize such outstanding citizens as Margaret Shaw:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the stellar career accomplishments garnered by Margaret Shaw during her thirty-four years as an educator and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Margaret Ruth Shaw of Hillsboro, Missouri.

Offered by

Representative Belinda Harris
District No. 110

Representative Ron Casey
District No. 103

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3252, adopted May 12, 2005.